

Katie is a graduate of Saint Thomas More High School in Rapid City, SD. Currently, she is attending Black Hills State University, where she is majoring in political science. She is a hard worker who has been dedicated to getting the most out of her internship experience.

I extend my sincere thanks and appreciation to Katie for all of the fine work she has done and wish her continued success in the years to come.●

#### TRIBUTE TO COLE KIRBY

● Mr. THUNE. Mr. President, today I recognize Cole Kirby, an intern in my Washington, DC, office, for all of the hard work he has done for me, my staff, and the State of South Dakota.

Cole is a graduate of Sage High School in Newport Coast, CA. Currently, he is attending Georgetown University, where he is majoring in finance. He is a hard worker who has been dedicated to getting the most out of his internship experience.

I extend my sincere thanks and appreciation to Cole for all of the fine work he has done and wish him continued success in the years to come.●

#### TRIBUTE TO JAMES REYNOLDS

● Mr. THUNE. Mr. President, today I recognize James Reynolds, an intern in my Washington, DC, office, for all of the hard work he has done for me, my staff, and the State of South Dakota.

James is a graduate of Derby High School in Derby, KS. Currently, he is attending Wichita State University, where he is majoring in political science. He is a hard worker who has been dedicated to getting the most out of his internship experience.

I extend my sincere thanks and appreciation to James for all of the fine work he has done and wish him continued success in the years to come.●

#### TRIBUTE TO AUBURN RITTERBUSH

● Mr. THUNE. Mr. President, today I recognize Auburn Ritterbush, an intern in my Washington, DC, office, for all of the hard work she has done for me, my staff, and the State of South Dakota.

Auburn is a graduate of RAF Lakenheath in Suffolk, England. Currently, she is attending Black Hills State University, where she is majoring in political science. She is a hard worker who has been dedicated to getting the most out of her internship experience.

I extend my sincere thanks and appreciation to Auburn for all of the fine work she has done and wish her continued success in the years to come.●

#### TRIBUTE TO HAMILTON ZACHARIAHS

● Mr. THUNE. Mr. President, today I recognize Hamilton Zachariahs, an intern in my Washington, DC office, for

all of the hard work he has done for me, my staff, and the State of South Dakota.

Hamilton is a graduate of Lincoln High School in Sioux Falls, SD. Currently, he is attending the University of Michigan, where he is majoring in business. He is a hard worker who has been dedicated to getting the most out of his internship experience.

I extend my sincere thanks and appreciation to Hamilton for all of the fine work he has done and wish him continued success in the years to come.●

#### EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, and were referred as indicated:

EC-2073. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Acetamidiprid; Pesticide Tolerances" (FRL No. 9391-2) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 20, 2013; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2074. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Cyproconazole; Pesticide Tolerances" (FRL No. 9387-3) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 20, 2013; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2075. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Triforine, Pesticide Tolerances; Technical Correction" (FRL No. 9389-9) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 20, 2013; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-2076. A communication from the Secretary of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report to Congress on the Nuclear Employment Strategy of the United States; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-2077. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on the continuation of the national emergency that was originally declared in Executive Order 13466 of June 26, 2008, and expanded in Executive Order 13551 of August 20, 2010, and addressed further in Executive Order 13570 of April 18, 2011, with respect to the current existence and risk of the proliferation of weapons-usable fissile material on the Korean Peninsula; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-2078. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Interim Final Determination to Defer Sanctions; California; South Coast Air Quality Management District" (FRL No. 9826-3) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 20, 2013; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-2079. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; State of Missouri; Infra-

structure SIP Requirements for the 1997 and 2006 Fine Particulate Matter National Ambient Air Quality Standards" (FRL No. 9825-7) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 20, 2013; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-2080. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; New York; Infrastructure SIP for the 1997 8-Hour Ozone and the 1997 and 2006 Fine Particulate Matter Standards" (FRL No. 9825-1) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 20, 2013; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-2081. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Revisions to the California State Implementation Plan, San Diego Air Pollution Control District" (FRL No. 9815-5) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 20, 2013; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-2082. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Change of Address for Region 7; Technical Correction" (FRL No. 9825-5) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 20, 2013; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-2083. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Charlotte, Raleigh/Durham and Winston-Salem Carbon Monoxide Limited Maintenance Plan" (FRL No. 9824-5) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 20, 2013; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-2084. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; Oregon: Heat Smart Program and Enforcement Procedures" (FRL No. 9802-7) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 20, 2013; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-2085. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; State of Kansas; Infrastructure SIP Requirements for the 1997 and 2006 Fine Particulate Matter National Ambient Air Quality Standards" (FRL No. 9825-6) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 20, 2013; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-2086. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Connecticut; Reasonably Available Control Technology for the 1997 8-Hour Ozone Standard" (FRL No. 9797-2) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on June 20, 2013; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-2087. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division,